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NH DHHS COVID-19 Update – February 5, 2021

Concord, NH – The New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) has issued the following update on the new coronavirus, COVID-19.

On Friday, February 5, 2021, DHHS announced 500 new positive test results for COVID-19, for a current PCR test positivity rate of 2.3%. Today's results include 323 people who tested positive by PCR test and 177 who tested positive by antigen test. There are now 4,062 current COVID-19 cases diagnosed in New Hampshire. Of the results reported today:

- **2/3: 158** new cases today, for an updated total of **457** cases
- **2/4: 342** new cases

Test results for previous days are still being processed and the total number of new positives for those days are not yet complete. Updated case counts for prior days will be reflected on the [COVID-19 interactive dashboard](#).

Several cases are still under investigation. Additional information from ongoing investigations will be incorporated into future COVID-19 updates. Of those with complete information, there are seventy-nine individuals under the age of 18 and the rest are adults with 48% being female and 52% being male. The new cases reside in Rockingham (118), Hillsborough County other than Manchester and Nashua (72), Strafford (55), Merrimack (54), Grafton (37), Sullivan (21), Belknap (16), Carroll (13), Coos (13), and Cheshire (12) counties, and in the cities of Nashua (38) and Manchester (33). The county of residence is being determined for eighteen new cases.

Community-based transmission continues to occur in the State and has been identified in all counties. Of those with complete risk information, most of the cases have either had close contact with a person with a confirmed COVID-19 diagnosis or are associated with an outbreak setting.

DHHS has also announced six additional deaths related to COVID-19. We offer our sympathies to the family and friends.

- 2 female residents of Hillsborough County, 60 years of age and older
- 1 male resident of Hillsborough County, fewer than 60 years of age
- 1 female resident of Merrimack County, 60 years of age and older
- 1 male resident of Rockingham County, 60 years of age and older
- 1 male resident of Coos County, 60 years of age and older

There are currently 198 individuals hospitalized with COVID-19. In New Hampshire since the start of the pandemic, there have been a total of 67,595 cases of COVID-19 diagnosed.

Current Situation in New Hampshire

New Hampshire 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Summary Report (updated February 5, 2021, 9:00 AM)

NH Persons with COVID-19	67,595
Recovered	62,442 (92%)
Deaths Attributed to COVID-19	1,091 (2%)
Total Current COVID-19 Cases	4,062
Current Hospitalizations	198
Total Persons Tested at Selected Laboratories, Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) ₂	605,221
Total Persons Tested at Selected Laboratories, Antibody Laboratory Tests ₂	36,713
Persons with Specimens Submitted to NH PHL	67,408
Persons with Test Pending at NH PHL ₃	736

₁Includes specimens positive at any laboratory and those confirmed by CDC confirmatory testing.

₂Includes specimens tested at the NH Public Health Laboratories (PHL), LabCorp, Quest, Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center, and those sent to CDC prior to NH PHL testing capacity.

₃Includes specimens received and awaiting testing at NH PHL. Does not include tests pending at commercial laboratories.

COVID-19 Vaccine Allocation Update

Allocation Summary through Thursday, February 4, 2021 – First Doses Only

Phase	Doses allocated to date	Estimated persons in group	% of needed amount allocated
Phase 1a	112,915	112,915	100%
Phase 1b	40,635	325,000	13%
State reserve for outbreaks or emergency needs	1,100	1,100	100%
Total	154,650	439,015	35%

Vaccine Doses Allocated, Distributed, and Administered by Vaccination Site Group

Vaccination Sites	Doses Available for Site to Order ¹	Doses Distributed ²	Total Doses Administered to Patients ³	First Doses	Second Doses
Hospitals	75,755	61,075	58,220	37,489	20,731
Long-term care pharmacy partnership program*	66,300	48,750	34,769	22,572	12,197
State-managed fixed sites	81,335	69,880	56,646	48,993	7,653
Regional public health network mobile sites	15,640	9,315	6,882	6,097	785
Other	6,345	1,185	887	500	387
Total	245,375	190,205	157,404	115,651	41,753

¹ Doses available for site to order are the number of first and second doses that have been made available to the site to order.

² Doses distributed are the number of first and second doses that the site has ordered and received at their location. Orders are based on clinic schedules and average uptake of vaccine by participants.

³ Doses administered may exceed the number of doses distributed due to the ability to get extra doses out of a vial, depending on the type of syringe used.

* The LTCF PPP is a federal program that sends pharmacies into LTCF to vaccinate residents and staff. In order for LTCF to access this program in New Hampshire, NH DHHS was required by the CDC to allocate a fixed number of doses to guarantee that pharmacies would have enough vaccine to complete vaccination administration within a four-week time frame. This program remains on schedule as originally anticipated and will be continually monitored to ensure completeness.

Vaccine Doses Distributed, and Administered by Vaccination Site*

Vaccination Sites ¹	Doses Distributed ²	Total Doses Administered to Patients ³	First Doses	Second Doses
Hospitals				
Alice Peck Day Memorial Hospital	730	713	406	307
Androscoggin Valley Hospital	1,150	956	728	228
Catholic Medical Center	3,760	3,642	2,183	1,459
Cheshire Medical Center	2,430	2,344	1,323	1,021
Concord Hospital	4,010	3,952	2,540	1,412
Cottage Hospital	330	355	207	148
Elliot Hospital	4,620	4,465	2,928	1,537
Encompass Health	235	219	133	86
Exeter Hospital	3,120	3,208	2,030	1,178
Frisbie Memorial Hospital	1,345	1,277	723	554
Hampstead Hospital	690	611	462	149
Huggins Hospital	1,170	1,021	907	114
Littleton Regional Hospital	1935	1,345	1,062	283
Lakes Region General Hospital	2,405	2,280	1,746	534
Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital	12,960	12,098	8,346	3,752
Memorial Hospital	1,285	1,091	696	395
Monadnock Community Hospital	890	710	514	196
New London Hospital	550	521	354	167
New Hampshire Hospital	715	758	448	310
Northeast Rehab Hospital	1,160	1,106	664	442
Parkland Medical Center	1,130	1,059	580	479
Portsmouth Regional Hospital	2,820	2,815	1,548	1,267
Southern NH Medical Center	2,855	2,973	1,639	1,334
Speare Memorial Hospital	545	598	352	246
St. Joseph Hospital	2,410	2,477	1,289	1,188
Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital	330	219	168	51
Valley Regional Hospital	420	419	257	162
Weeks Medical Center	840	735	520	215
Wentworth Douglass Hospital	4,235	4,253	2,736	1,517
State-managed fixed sites				
State of NH- Capitol Area	6,855	6,644	5,722	922
State of NH- Carroll County	2,460	1,508	1,174	334
State of NH- Central NH	2,480	2,396	2,103	293
State of NH- Greater Monadnock	4,610	3,393	2,896	497
State of NH- Greater Nashua	9,590	6,844	5,923	921
State of NH- Greater Sullivan	2,380	2,078	1,849	229
State of NH- Manchester	8,910	7,259	6,305	954
State of NH- North Country	1,580	746	594	152
State of NH- Seacoast	8,935	8,926	7,698	1,228

State of NH- South Central	8,805	6,929	6,050	879
State of NH- Strafford County	7,375	6,277	5,432	845
State of NH- Upper Valley	2,580	1,976	1,736	240
State of NH- Winnepesaukee	3,320	1,670	1,511	159
Regional Public Health Networks (RPHNs)				
Capital Area RPHN	1,090	925	903	22
Carroll County RPHN	570	625	472	153
Central NH RPHN	1,840	1,362	1,304	58
Greater Manchester RPHN	420	81	81	0
Greater Nashua RPHN	550	345	345	0
Greater Sullivan County RPHN	50	33	33	0
North Country RPHN	810	723	658	65
Seacoast RPHN	410	400	400	0
South Central RPHN	130	133	133	0
Strafford County RPHN	995	719	719	0
Upper Valley RPHN	1,560	625	425	200
Winnepesaukee RPHN	890	911	624	287

¹ Vaccine is distributed equitably across the state to vaccination sites based on a pro-rata share of vaccines available each week and population size of the region being served.

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Note: Data presented represent doses distributed and administered through February 4th, 2021.

Number of Tests Conducted by Date of Report to NH DHHS

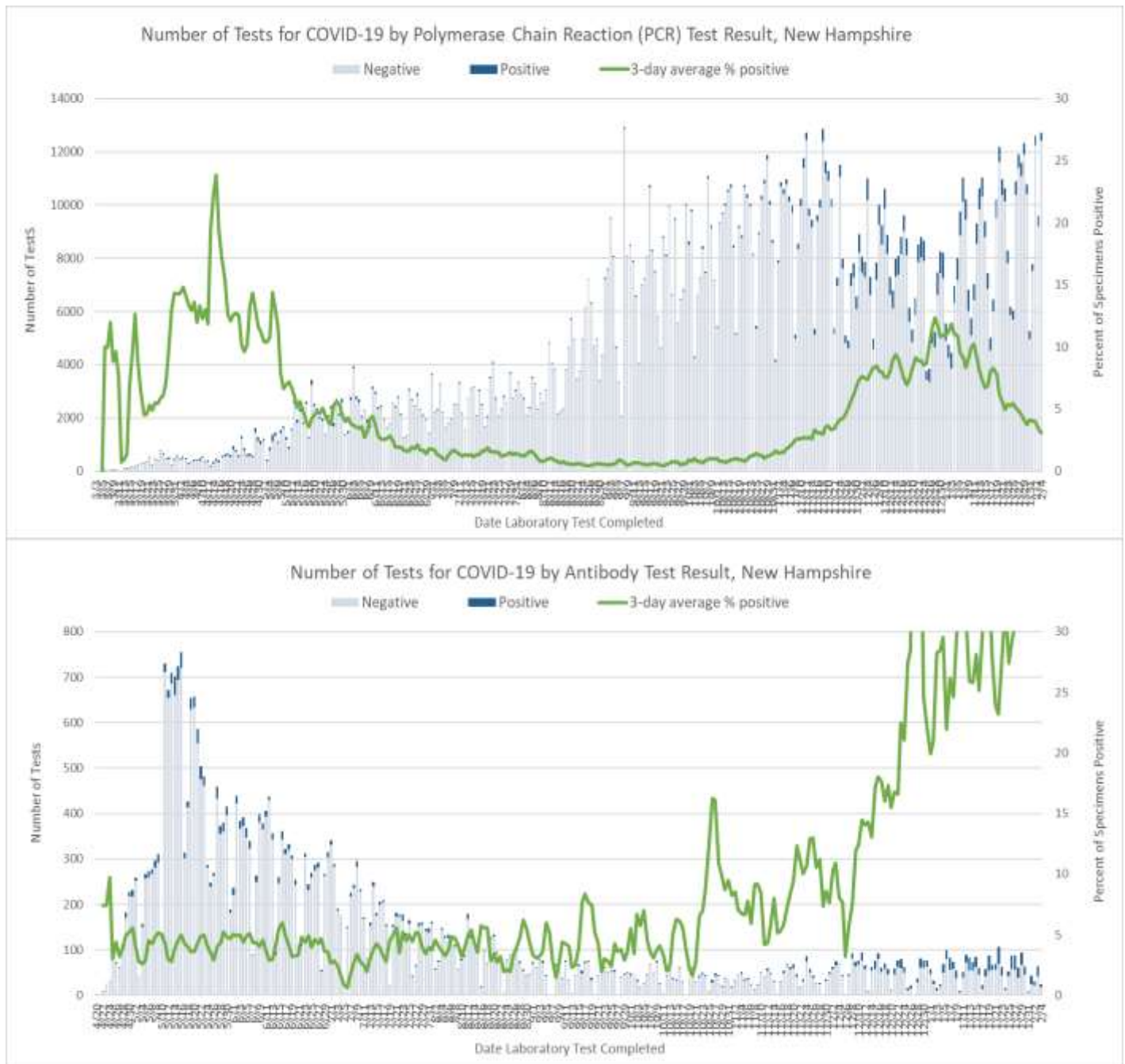
Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) Tests								
Testing Laboratory	1/29	1/30	1/31	2/01	2/02	2/03	2/04	Daily Average
NH Public Health Laboratories	728	614	331	18	183	821	846	506
LabCorp	1,137	1,334	455	749	1,451	1,338	660	1,018
Quest Diagnostics	845	1,057	698	240	612	760	871	726
Mako Medical	946	110	77	2	250	457	220	295
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center	383	511	196	288	452	319	0	307
Other NH Hospital Laboratory	363	308	271	262	384	324	326	320
Other Laboratory*	5,544	4,499	1,754	1,503	7,096	1,857	5,216	3,924
University of New Hampshire**	2,380	2,337	1,478	4,715	2,196	3,710	4,575	3,056
Total	12,326	10,770	5,260	7,777	12,624	9,586	12,714	10,151
Antibody Laboratory Tests								
Testing Laboratory	1/29	1/30	1/31	2/01	2/02	2/03	2/04	Daily Average

LabCorp	17	18	3	0	1	30	0	10
Quest Diagnostics	37	28	5	9	20	19	17	19
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center	10	4	0	8	2	7	0	4
Other Laboratory*	14	10	1	11	0	6	5	7
Total	78	60	9	28	23	62	22	40

* Includes out-of-state public health laboratories, out-of-state hospital laboratories, and other commercial laboratories not already listed in the table.

Note: Patients who had both antibody and polymerase chain reaction (PCR) tests are accounted for in both tables.

** Includes tests conducted at the UNH laboratory and their contracted lab Veritas.



[NH DHHS Daily Update on COVID-19 Archive](#)

For more information, please visit the DHHS COVID-19 webpage at <https://www.nh.gov/covid19>.

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